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OFFICE OF SOLID WASTE AND EMERGENCY RESPONSE

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## VIA E-MAIL AND FEDERAL EXPRESS

Mr. Mark Guerriero Station Manager Dayton Power and Light JM Stuart Station PO Box 468 Aberdeen, Ohio 45101

Dear Mr. Guerriero,

On October 27-28, 2009 the United States Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA") and its engineering contractors conducted a site assessment of the coal combustion residual impoundments at the JM Stuart facility. The purpose of this visit was to assess the structural stability of the impoundments or other similar management units that contain "wet" handled coal combustion residuals (CCRs). EPA undertook this investigation pursuant to the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act, 42 U.S.C. §§ 9601-9675. We thank you and your staff for your cooperation during the site visit.

The draft report for the JM Stuart facility is enclosed. EPA would appreciate it if you would review and submit your comments on this report to us by January 28, 2009. Please send your comments to:

Mr. Stephen Hoffman US Environmental Protection Agency (5304P) 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20460

If you are using overnight or hand delivery mail, please use the following address:

Mr. Stephen Hoffman US Environmental Protection Agency Two Potomac Yard 2733 South Crystal Drive 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, N-5237 Arlington, VA 22202-2733

You may also provide your comments by e-mail to <a href="mailto:hoffman.stephen@epa.gov">hoffman.stephen@epa.gov</a>

This request has been approved by the Office of Management and Budget under EPA ICR Number 2350.01.

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If you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact Mr. Hoffman in the Office of Resource Conservation and Recovery at (703) 308-8413.

Sincerely,

/Matt Hale/, Director Office of Resource Conservation and Recovery

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